

Author: Leno Analyst: Rachel Coco Bill Number: AB 2914Related Bills: See Prior Analysis Telephone: 845-4328 Amended Date: June 22, 2006Attorney: Patrick Kusiak Sponsor: _____**SUBJECT:** Limited Liability Partnerships/Architecture/Extend Repeal Date

_____ ANALYSIS NOT REQUIRED of this bill – Not within scope of responsibility of this department.

_____ TECHNICAL BILL – No program or fiscal changes to existing program.

_____ BILL AS AMENDED NO LONGER WITHIN SCOPE of responsibility or program of the department.

_____ TECHNICAL AMENDMENT – No change in previously submitted analysis required.

_____ Approved position of prior analysis is _____.

X MINOR AMENDMENT – No change in previously submitted analysis required. Approved position of prior analysis is PENDING.

_____ MINOR AMENDMENT – No change in approved position of _____.
_____ See Comments below

X OTHER – See comments below.

COMMENTS:

This bill would extend the repeal date for limited liability partnerships (LLP) to engage in the practice of architecture.

The June 22, 2006, amendments removed a provision that would have allowed LLPs to engage in the practice of architecture indefinitely and replaced it with a provision that would extend the repeal date for an LLP to engage in the practice of architecture from January 1, 2007, to January 1, 2012. The amendments also made changes to requirements related to liability coverage for claims.

The amendments would not significantly impact the department's programs or operations. The department's analysis of the bill as introduced February 24, 2006, still applies.

Board Position:

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